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$W \quad I \quad L \quad \mathcal{T} O \quad N$.
In the Antiques of this Collection are contain'd the Whole of Cardinal Richelieu's and Cardinal Mazarine's, and the greateft Part of the Earl of Arundel's; befides feveral particular Pieces purchas'd at different Times.

By JAMES KENNEDY.

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## TO THE

## P U B L I C K.

THE frequent Demands for a new and more accurate Account of thefe Sculptures and Paintings, will render unneceffary any Apology for the Publication of this.

Time, generally fpeaking, varies Taftes; but in this Collection the moft refin'd Taftes in every Age will meet with Subjects worthy their Attention. Statuary and Painting, Twins and Rivals in their Arts, muft be allow'd to be ufeful and entertaining; and here thofe whofe Genius and Tafte lead them to admire thefe exquifite Works of the Antients, and of the greateft Mafters in modern Times, have an Opportunity, at one View as it were, of gratifying the moft infatiable $\mathrm{Cu}-$ riofity.

## To the Publick.

But can our Eyes feaft on, or Minds feel the pleafing Senfation of increafing Knowledge, without a Thought intruding on thofe great and noble Perfonages to whofe Munificence, Genius, and Induftry we are indebted for their Prefervation? To them it is folely owing, that thefe Patterns of the moft finifh'd Productions the World ever faw, have been brought to Light; and this Collection, of which the following Pages is but a fummary Account, contains perhaps the moft numerous and moft excellent Specimens of the Greek and Roman Artifts; Works that have efcap'd the Ravages of Time, and outliv'd thofe States that nurtur'd and brought them to Perfection.

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## R E A D E R

 Is defired to take Notice,That the Names of the Marbles in Italian, the Language in which they were firf diftinguifhed by the Moderns, are marked in Italic Characters : And it is to be obferved, that the Quarries of all thofe Marbles, which are called Antique, are at prefent unknown; as likewife are thofe of Porpbyry and Serpentine.

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## Explanation of the Figures.

$T$H E Figures $1,2,3,4,5$, prefix'd to the Painters Names, denote the different Sizes of the Pictures. The Figure I, fignifies the largef Size; the Figure 2, the next ; and fo on to the Figure 5, which expreffes the fmalleft Pictures.

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## A

## DESCRIPTION OF THE

## Pictures, Statues, छo̊c.

IN the Court, before the grand Front of the Houfe, ftands a Column of white Egyptian Granite, out of the Arundel Collection. The Shaft weighs betwixt 60 and 70 hundred Weight, of one Piece. It has a Fillet (as very antiently was ufual) five Inches broad below, and another at Top, three Inches broad, which Fillets project but half an Inch. The Height is $I_{3}$ Feet and a half, the Diameter 22 Inches, and leffens fcarce two Inches at Top. The Greeks afterwards, by Degrees, leffen'd more. It had a Hole both at Top and Bottom, which fhews that it antiently ftood as a fingle Pillar. Mr. Evelyn bought it for the Earl of Arundel at Rome, where 'Iulius Cefar had fet it up before the Temple of Venus Genetrix.

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The Statue of Venus，ftanding on it＇s Top， Lord Arundel valued much，becaufe it was the only one caft from a Model made at Rome，pro－ portionable to fome Parts remaining of the broken Antique．This Column was never erected fince it fell in the Ruins of old Rome， till fet up here，with a Corintbian Capital and Bafe of white Marble，which makes the Co－ lumn eight Diameters．The whole，with all it＇s Parts，is 32 Feet high．

On the lower Fillet of this Column are five Letters in the following Shape：

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Which Letters being read after the Manner of the eaftern Torigues，from the Right Hand to the Left，and having the proper Vowels fupplied，make ASTARTE，the Name by which Venus was worfhipped among the an－ tient Nations of the Eaft．

In the Front of the Houfe，on each Side the Entrance．

Two Statues of black Marble，out of the Ruins of the Palace of Egypt，in which the Viceroys of Perfia lived many Years after Cam－ byfes had conquered Egypt，and returned to Perfia．There is a Garment on their Shoulders of different colour＇d Marble，and only their Toes

Toes appear at Bottom. There is the old Bandage Diadem on one of them; fingle Statues without Arms were in Ufe long after they could make them with Arms, not only in Egypt, but in Greece. Such Termini were fet at their Doors. The Pedeftals were placed on Plinths, that the Termini might be high enough to fupport the Architrave over the Door. They fhewed a Pride (as fome think) to reprefent their Captives in this fervile Pofture of bearing and fupporting.

The great Gate-Way and Tower into the Inner-Court, were begun by William Earl of Pembroke, in the Reign of Queen Elizabeth, and finifhed by his Son Henry Earl of Pembroke. The faid Earl William received from King Henry VIII. a Grant of Wilton-Abbey, \&c.

In the Middle of the Inner-Court.
In four Niches of a Pedeftal (whereon ftandeth a Horfe as large as the Life) are four Statues; the firf Diana.

On the right Hand, is Venus picking a Thorn out of her Foot.

The next is Venus holding a Shell in her right Hand, her left Hand has hold of the Tail of a Dolphin.

The fourth is Venus and Cupid. He is begging for his Quiver of Arrows.

## On one Side of the Gateway.

The Bufto of Anobarbus. Tiberius. Asinius Pollio: There is a very elegant Turn in the Neck of this Bufto, with a ftrong Expreffion of it's Mufcles.

## On the other Side

Julia Domina, Wife of Septimius Severus. Geta; this ftands upon an antient Altar of Baccbus; round it we may fee the whole Drefs of his Prieft, alfo the Thyrfus in one Hand: He has a Panther after him, alfo two Priefteffes going in Proceffion round the Altar: The Thyrfus, in the Prieft's Hand, is a plain PineApple, not adorned with Bunches of Grapes, as that mentioned in the Great-Hall; which therefore feems to be an adorned Sceptre for Baccous himfelf, and the rather becaufe in the triangular Altar, upon a Table in the CubeRoom, the Prieft has alfo a Thyrfus, but plain as this here, only with this Addition, that it has Pine-Apples, one at each End, the Stalks being joined at the Middle where his Hand holds it.

In two painted Niches ${ }^{\dagger}$ are two Statues; the firft is Attis, Cybele's high Prieft cloathed as a Woman, on which Statue there is a fine Difertation in Montfauton, Vol. I.

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In the other Nich is a Statue of Autumnus, with Autumn Fruit.

Here follows the Infcription, ending in a Circle round the Altar:

## MELIOMEN: $\triangle I O N Y S O N$

 Canamus, Dionyfium.
## ARYAOMORGON:EAKXEYTOAA

Pulcbri-Formem. Baccbatorem.

## INOOKKADENON.

Flavi-Comum.
The Epflon for an Eta is fufficient to fhew that it was before the Addition of the four laft Letters, and therefore 'tis likely Omicron ftands for Omega, becaufe learned Men agree that $\mu s \lambda \pi \alpha \mu s$, Canamus fuits the old Hymn to Bacchus, better than $\mu_{s} \lambda_{\pi} \psi_{s} s$ Canimus.

> In the Porch (built by Hans Holbein) leading into the Veftibule,

The Buftos of Hannibal, Pescennius Niger, Albinus and Miltiades.

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## Buftos in the Veftibule.

Begin with that next to a Pillar by the Door.
Pindar, Theophrastus, Jotapi, Wife to Antiochus Comagena, Lysimachus, Tryphina, Vibius Varus, Hadrian, Sabina Tranquilina, Wife of Gordian, Agrípina Major, Aristophanes, Caligula.

Here are two Columns of the Pavonazzo or Peacock Marble, each nine Feet feven Inches high; both of them had Capitals which ferved for Urns. There are Holes at the Top to put the Afhes in; they were in the Columbarium of a Nobleman and his Wife, and the Infcription over them, which was in the Wall, fignified, that they bad made that Columbarium.

> In the Middle of the Veftibule.

The Statue of Apollo, out of the Justiniani Gallery. He appears with a moft graceful Air in a refting Pofture, having hung his Quiver on the Laurel, which is ornamented with very fine Sculpture,
In Wilton-House.


PICTURES
IN THE

## DINING-Room.

Over the Door.
CTILL Life of Plate and Earthen Veffels. 4. By Labradore.

On the Left-Hand Side of the Door.
A Capital Picture, (I) by Andrea Scbiavone, reprefents our SAviour riding into Ferufalem upon an Afs; the Actions of the Multitude attending him, anfwering to the Defcription given in St. Mattherw, Chap. xxi. ver. 8. g.

Four Views of the Houfe which the late Henry, Earl of Pembroke, built upon BlackHeath.
2. By G. Lambert.

The Virgin with our Saviour in her Lap, alfo Joseph, St. Peter, and the Painter. 2. By Andrew Squazzelia.

The Virgin, our Saviour, St. John and St. Catharine. Our Saviour is putting a Ring on St. Catharine's Finger.
3. By Gulio Cafare Procacino.

A Battle-Piece.
3. By Luccatelli.

A Fair. 3. By Fans Brugel (Velvet).
The Virgin, old Joseph, our Saviour, Elizabeth, and St. John.
3. By Girolamo di Sermoneta.

## A Battle.

4. By Leandro.

The Story of Iphis and Telethusa, from the 9th Book of Ovid. 3. By Antonio Loti.

The three Angels coming to Abraham. 4. By Pafqualini.

A Battle.
4. By Leandio.

A Nativity.
4. By Pontormo.

Five Men in a House, groping in the Dark. 3. By Gentile da Fabriano.

Lot and his two Daughters going from Sodom.
3. By Pellegrini da Bologna.

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The Syrophenician Woman addreffing herfelf to Christ for the Recovery of her Daughter. 4. By Karle Vermander.

NoAh going into the Ark. The Roe-Bucks on the foremoft Ground are as big as the Life, and appear alive. 2. By Beneditto Caftiglion.

The Virgin, old Joseph, Elizabeth, our Saviour, and St. Јонi, who is leading a Lamb to our SAviour.
3. By Palma Veccbio.

Dalilah cutting off Sampson's Hait, and the Philistines appearing.

> 2. By Sifto Badalacbi.

A half Length of St. John:
3. By Giacinto Brandi.

The Virgin with our Saviour in her Lap, old Joseph is leaning on an Altar, an Angei is undrawing a Curtain.
3. By Timot. d'Urbino.

The Virgin and our Saviour.
3. By Il Frate.

A View of Piazza Navona at Rome, in which is a Fair or Market, with Shows, and in one Place is a Jefuit preaching.

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3. By Cafano.

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The Virgin, our Saviour, St. John, and an Angel. : 3. By Bernardino Gatti.

## A Nativity. 4. By Carlo Cignani.

Venus fitting, and Cupid is fharpening the Heads of his Arrows in the Fire.
3. By Orazio Samacbini.

Susanna and the the two Elders, as big as the Life. $\quad \therefore$ 2. By Guercino.

The Four Seasons; Winter is the Stump of a Tree, with odd Faces and Owls.
2. By Murillo.

A Landfcape with Figures.
2. By Stepben della Bella.

A Landfcape with a rocky Ifland in the Middle of the Sea, with Boats and Men ftanding on the Shore.
.Christ with a Multitude, and the Syrophenician Woman praying for the Recovery of her Daughter. 4. By Vincheboons.

> In the fame Room.

Two black Porphyry Pillars, which were brought by Lord Arundel from Rome, and fupport the Arch of the Beaufet.

On the Chimney-Piece (which, as alfo that in the Drawing-Room, are both by Inigo Jones) is the Bufto of Seneca.

## Going into the Veftibule is,

An antique Pavement of four Sorts of Marble, of gradual Lights and Shadows, as if Cubes ftood upon a Plane. This, in the Arundel Catalogue, was faid to be found under fome Ruins at Luna, a Roman City, about fixty Miles Eaft of Genoa.

## On a Marble Pavement going into the Drawing-Room.

A Table of Red Egyptian Granite, $\triangle$ F. I.

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And a white Marble Font.


# PICTURES 

IN THE

## DRAWING-ROOM.

15UILDINGS Perfpective and Figures. I. By Saband Marca Ricci.

A Boy gathering Fruit. 2. By Michael Angelo Pacidi Campi.

A Storm. : 4. By Vander Velder.
A Landfcape with Hager, Ishmael, and the Angel.
3. By Poufin.

Half Length of Philip, Earl of Pembroke, from Vandyke. By Mr. Hoare.

St. Peter and the Angel coming out of Prifon. 5. By Stenrwick:

A Carpet and a large Boar's Head. 2. By Maltefe.

Nymphs differently employ'd, fome Dancing, fome Singing, and others playing on Mu fick.
3. By Watteux.

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The Siege of Pavia.
5. By Hans Holbein.

A half Length of Sir Andrew Fountain. By Mr. Hoare.

Christ praying in the Garden, with two Angels to comfort him, on Copper.
4. By Giofeppe Gratti da Bologna.

Bacchus on an Altar in the Wood, many Figures about it celebrating his Myfteries, and fhewing a great Spirit in different Poftures. The Light darts thro the Wood in a moft pleafing Manner. $\quad$ I. By Salvator Rofa.

A Herdfman with Cattle, as big as the Life. 2. By Rofa di Tivoli.

An half Length of the Rev. Mr. Woodroffe of Winchefter. By Mr. Hoare.

The Virgin with Christ in her Lap; he is touching her Chin.
4. By Doffo da Ferrara.

The Virgin with Christ in her Arms, in the Clouds. 3. By Pordenone.

A Multitude of Figures at a Fair.

> 5. By Cafteels.

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Christ in the Manger.
3. By Calandrucci.

Mrs. Wrettle, Governante to the Countels of Pembroke. By Mr. Hoare.

A Nativity. 4. By Raphael da Reggio.
The Virgin in a Straw-Hat, with Christ and St. John.
2. By Gennari.

Venus and Cupid.
4. By Fialetti.

In Crayon, a Copy of the Princels Sophia. 4. By Lady Diana Spencer, Daughter of his Grace the Duke of Marlborough, now Lady Bolingbroke.

A Woman teaching School. 4. By Oftade,
Two Winter-Pieces; a Multitude of Fi gures. 4. By Mumper and Brugel.

Fifh and an old Woman giving a Cat fome Milk. The Fifh, 4. By Snyder.

The Virgin, our Saviour, and old Joseph leading the Afs. The Flight into Egypt.
4. By Venturg Salembini.

A Country

A Country Boy, as big as the Life, with a Bird's Neft in his Hand; at a Diftance is a Cow bemoaning her Calf. 4. By Antonio Amorofi.

The three Kings Offering. There is a glorious Eclat of Light breaking thro' the Clouds, in which are many Cherubims.
4. By Paolo Veronefe.

An old Woman reading with Spectacles. 3. By Rembrant.

The Marriage of JOSEPH to the Virgin, in an Octagon. 3: By Augufino Taflo.

Seven Boys at Blindman's Buff. 5. By Girolamo Donini.

Christ kiffing St. John. 4. By Andrea Salaino, Scholar of Leonardo da Vinci.

The Holy Family ; Saints reprefented praying at the Bottom of the Picture.
4. By Pietro Pietri.

A Landfcape with Figures; the Story of Cephalus and Procris. 4. By Waterloe.

Venus and the three Graces.
5. By Andrea Camalfei.

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> The Port of Leghor n, on Copper. 5. By Viviano Codazzo.

Cupid giving a Boy fome Fruit and Flowers. 2. By Carlo di Fiori.

A Calm. 4. By Vander Velder.
Statues on the Cbimney-Piece.
Orpheus with his Symbol, and Apollo.

## Under the Glafs.

A Porphyry Table : A Rim round it of the Talbo Antico or antient yellow Marble, and the Verdi Antico or antient green Marble.


## I N THE

## GREAT HALL,

Statues, Bustos, Sarcophagus's, (or Tombs) and Basso-Relievos.

Begin with the Statue on the Windore Side of the Arch, then on the other Side of the Arch, and fo on. As there are fome Buftos among the Statues, I fball diffinguifh them by that Name when I come to them.

FA U S TINA, Wife of Antoninus Pius, larger than the Life: The Drapery very natural.

A Panthfon, having the Symbols of three Divinities, a Cornticopia with Fruit for Vertumnus ; out of it, Grapes for Baccbus; and Ears of Corn for Ceres. The Figure is a comely Man, in the Prime of his Age and Strength, without any Beard, and therefore is probably an Apollo, larger than the Life.

The Statue of Didia Clara, Daughter to the Emperor Didius Julianus, bigger than the Life, fitting in a Chair: She holds a fenatorial Roll, in a genteel Pofture. The Drapery of her Cloathing is very fine.

A Buito

A Bufto of Marcus Aurelius, when Cafar.

In a Niche, Antinoùs.
The Bufto of Cleopatra, the Sifter of Alexander the Great.

A Sarcophagus, (or Tomb) adorned in the Front in Alto-Relievo, two Cupids holding two Feftoons of Fruit: Over each Feftoon are two Heads of the Heathen Deities: Under one of the Feftoons is a Lion and an Ox, under the other Feftoon a Goat and a Cock. This is defcribed by Salvini, vide Tab. $7 \cdot$

Upon the foregoing Tomb is Euterpe, the Mufe, fitting with a Flute. She is faid to be the Inventor of Wind-Mufick; very fine Sculpture.

By Cleomenes.
Portia, Wife of Brutus. The Medal of Brutus is on her Breaft, a Necklace about her Neck, and a Diadem on her Head; being the only one known to have this Ornament of a Medal.

On the Chimney-Piece.
The Bufto of Julia Mammea, Mother of Alexander Severus.

> On one Side,

A fmall Statue of $\nVdash s c u l a p I U s$.

## On the other Side，

A fmall Statue of Meleager，very fine Sculpture：

A Bufto of Nero．The Shape of his left Arm and Hand feen through his Robe，two little Cupids at the Bottom of the Bufto．

A Sarcophagus．In the Middle of the Front is a Circle，wherein is reprefented the half Lengths of a Man and Woman，for whom it may be fuppofed the Tomb was made；the other Part of the Front is fluted Work：At one End is a Lion，with a Unicorn under him；at the other End a Lion，with a wild Boar under him：At the Bottom，under the Circle，are two Mafks，one of them with Hair，the other hav－ ing a Veil upon the upper Part．

This is defcribed by Salvini，Tab．8．Upon the foregoing Tomb is，

A Queen of the Amazons，beautiful，tho＇ in a warlike Action，being on one Knee，as under a Horfe，defending herfelf in Battle．Her Shield is in the Figure of a Half Moon，ac－ cording to the Infcription Virgil gives of it in the firft ⿸厂⿱土土卜eid：

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& \text { And led, with moony Sbields, ber Amazons } \\
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Behind the lower Part of the Shield, to illuftrate the Action, the Sculptor has carved a Horfe's Foot. Her Bulkin plainly fhews the antient Shape, and Manner of fixing it.

By Cleomenes.
A Bufto of Lucilla, the Wife of 尼lus, very fine Sculpture.
In a Niche,

The Statue of Mercury,
A Bufto of Apolio.
Silenus and Bacchu's, a Group, very fine ${ }_{4}$
Flora. This and the foregoing one (both of the Parian Marble) were a Prefent to the firft Pbilip, Earl of Pembroke, by the Duke of Tufcany, who in King Charles the Firft's Time was in England, and refided at Wilton, with the faid Earl, three Weeks.

The Bufto of Phitemon,
The Bufto of Lepidus.
A Sarcophagus, adorned with a fine Column of the Corinthian Order at each End; and in the
In Wilton-House.
the Middle is a double Door, partly open, which confirms what antient Authors have faid, that fome were fo made that the Soul might go out to the Elyfian Fields: At each End of the
Tomb is a Grifin. Saluini, Tab. Io. Upon the foregoing Tomb is

Hercules, not long before he died. He leans ready to fall, and looks very fick; and Pran;, his Friend, looks up at him very much concerned. The Exprefinon of the Muicles, Anatomifts greatly admire.

Constantine the Great, of better Work than was common in that Age, as are alfo a few of his Medals.

The Bufto of Sophocies.
A Sarcophagus. In the Middle are preiented three Figures, Meleager religiouly turning fomething off from a Patera into the Fire on an Altar; at his Feet lies the Head of the Carydonian Boar; by him is Ataianta, with a Quiver hanging from her Shoulders: The third is Theseus. The Antients often deroted themielves, when they died, to iome Divinities, as here to thefe. The whole Bodies of two Perions, perhaps a Man and his Wife, feem to be buried here, becaule there is a little Riling at each End for their Heads. This Sepulchre is adorned with two whole Length Figures of Cafor and Polva, at the two Ends. Salvini, Tab. 9. Upon the foregoing Tomb is

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One of the Labours of Hercules. He is reprefented as turning the River Achelous, which is figur'd as an old Man; his Thighs end in Snakes, to fignify the Winding of the River.

The Bufto of Pompey the Great.
The Bufto of Brutus Senior.
The Statue of Livia, Wife of Auguftus, bigger than the Life, fitting in a Chair; one Hand refting on a Patera, to fhew that the was honour'd as Pietas, in which Character fhe is alfo feen on a Medal ; the Drapery very natural.


## THE

## BASSO-RELIEVOS.

Begin with the Uppermoft on the Right-Hand.
As I am going to begin with one of the Relievos, it is to be noted, that I Jaall diftinguifls thefe, when all or moft of the Figures are in AltoRelievo, with the Letter A. before them.

AN A. Relievo. Apollo and Diana deftroying Niobe's Children, by fhooting Arrows at them. There are twelve Figures, befides Apollo and Diana, and fix Horfes, very fmall neat Work.

An A. Relievo. Two Cupids; one looks angry at the other, whofe Bow he has broke, which makes the other whimper.

A Relievo. The Ornament of a.Pedeftal belonging to a Victor; it reprefents very particularly fome of the antient Greek Games. Here are feveral peculiar Circumftances: Neptune, as the Judge, is the only Figure fitting; Saturn ftands behind; at the End of the Relievo is a handfome Piece of Architecture, fomething higher than the Heads of the Perfons, and is as a Portico to terminate the End of their Running ; in it are Mars and Venzus, minding each other only ; over them is a Cupid; who has in his Hand a peculiar Light, not long as a Torch, but as a Lamp, in the Palm of his Hand; two young Men are running; fuppofed to have fat out from the End where Neptune is, and one is almoft got to the End terminated by the Building; he has fuch a Light in his Hand as Cupid has. Antiquaries fpeak of the Exercife of Running in this Manner with a Light; the other young Man, who is running after him, has an Oar in his Hand of the antique Form. In the Middle of the Place for the Exercifes, are two ftrong made Men with Beards; they fhew another Sort of Tryal, not of Motion, (as the young Men) but of Strength; one of their Hands is tied to the other's two Hands, in this it is fuppofed they took turns to try which could pull the other fartheft after them.

An A. Relievo, Curtius on Horfback, leaping into the Earth which opens with a Flame of Fire: It is of the fineft Work by a Greek Sculptor.

An A. Relievo, a Fauna dancing a Child upon her Foot; of the antient Red Egyptian Jafper, mentioned in the Bufto's of Britannicus and $\mathfrak{F u n i a}$, it is on a Ground of oriental tranfparent white Alabatter, with a Frame of the antient Greek Marble.

An A. Relievo, Saturn, a fmall one, but very Old, and of moft beautiful Work.

An A. Relievo, four Boys gathering and eating Grapes.

A Greek Relievo of the very fineft Work, an oriental Alabafter. Eleven Figures befides a Dog. Thofe on the formoft Ground Alto Relievo. It is of Ulyfes, who is gone into the Cave to Calypfo, where they are kneeling round a Fire. The Cave is within, a moft beautiful Ruin of Architecture, which has a fine Frieze of Figures, feveral of which are on Horfes. The other Figures are of Ulyfles's Attendants and Spectators, fome of which are got upon the Ruins.

An A. Relievo. Endymion alleep, and Diana coming down to him.

An A. Relievo, Saturn crowning Arts, and Sciences. Five Figures.

An A. Relievo, Jupiter holding of Baccbus to fuck Juno as fhe lies afleep.

An A. Relievo, Britannicus. This and Britannicus's Juno, are of that which is called the antient red Egyptian Jafper (Baffo Egitto) on a Ground of the antient Green Marble.

An A. Relievo, Venus and Cupid fucking. She is fitting under a large rich carved Canopy. Mars is fitting by in rich Accoutrements.

A Relievo, Silenus drunk upon an Afs held on by two Figures; a Boy is leading the Afs and blowing upon a Bull's Horn, (likely the firft Trumpet), another Boy fitting againft a Tree playing on a Pipe, another Boy has hold of the Afs's Tail ; at fome Diftance, Venus is laid down alleep, Cupid has hold of fome Part of her Garment to cover her therewith; higher up is a Boy gathering Apples from a Tree; on the back Ground is a Group of four Boys, one of them is fitting and playing on a Pipe, another is playing on a Timbrel, the other two areDancing.

An A. Relievo of Britannicus's Junia.
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A Baffo Relievo, an old Greek Mofrick teffelated Work, the Pieces of Marble of various Colours, not only flat, but rifing as the Figures; it reprefents the Garden of the Hefperides; in the Middle is the Tree bearing the Golden Apples, and the Dragon to preferve them; by it is a Rock, and Hercules with his Head and Garment girt with Golden Fafces; at his Feet is his Qiver, \&c. On the other fide lies his Club. Egle Daughter of Hefperus is in View; her Head adorned with Green, cloathed with a double Garment, the inward Green, and the outward Red, folded and loofe to her Feet, in her left Hand fhe holds a Branch with Golden Apples on it. She fhews Beauty and Modefty, and he the Majefty of a Hero, and Comelinefs of Youth. This is very fingular; and it is doubted whether there is any other Relievo in Mofaic Work.

A Relievo of an old Man, like a Silenus, he is filling a Bafket with Grapes.

The Head of Remitacles, King of Tbracia, as big as the Life, in Porphyry.

An A. Relievo, from a Temple of Bacchus. By the Work it appears to have been in the Time of the beft Sculptors; and it is very remarkable that the Tbyrfus orSceptre of Baccbus, has here the Addition of Bunches of Grapes.

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There is a Vine fhooting up from the Bottom, which is of the fineft Sculpture.

An A. Relievo, Venus riding on the Sea in a Shell drawn by two Dolphins, attended by two Cupids, above in the Clouds is her Cham riot with two Doves,

An A. Relievo, the three Graces.
An A. Relievo, the Story of Clelia. The River Tyber reprefented by Romulus and Remus playing with the Wolf on its Banks. There are thirteen Women and four Horfes.

An A. Relievo, Silenus drunk, (held on by a Man and Woman) upon an Afs, a Man leading the Afs. There are thirteen Figures befides the Afs and a Goat.

An A. Relievo, Europa on the Bull. There are Four other Figures.

An A. Relievo, Galatefa riding on the Sea in a Shell drawn by two Dolphins. There are Three other Figures.

An A. Relievo, two Cupidss and Fourr other Boys at Play.

An A. Relievo, a Boy on a Sea Hore, blowing on a Shell Trumpet.

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An A. Relievo, Diana with her favourite Stag, and two Dogs a Sleep.

An A. Relievo of eight Figures, befides a Dog and a Goat.

An A. Relievo, Ariadne and Theseus. There are two other Figures and two Horfes.

> In the fame is,

A very antient Confular Chair, called Sella Curulis; the Back is in three Parts; the middle Part is in the Shape of a Term; on the Top is a Bifrons; the Faces are of a young Man and a young Woman, as the Genii of Rome, there is an Iron goes thro' the Shoulder Part of the Term, which gradually flopes down about fix Inches, and is there faftened to the Tops of the other two Parts, which are of Brafs (as is the Term alfo) ornamented with Silver, the two Fore-Legs are Iron; the Seat is thick old Board.

In the Gallery of this Hall, are five Suits of Armour; that in the Middle was William Earl of Pembroke's, the other Four and the Parts of Five more Suits in the oppofite Part of the Hall, were taken from the noble Perfons, on the following Occafions. This Earl in the Reign of Queen Mary, was Captain-General of the Englifb Forces at the Siege of St. 2uintin, in 1557,
at which Siege were taken Prifoners the Conftable Montmorency, Montheron his Son, with the Dukes of Montpenfier and Longueville, Lerwis of Gonzaga (afterwards Duke of Nevers) the Marfhal of St. Andre, Admiral Coligny (who was afterwards Murdered at the Maffacre at Paris) and his Brother, not to mention Fobn de Bourbon, Duke of Anguien, who was found Dead among the Slain. Here are alfo fome of the Weapons which were taken at the fame Time.

A Picture of the above-mentioned Earl of Pembroke. By Hans Holbein.

A Picture of Capt. Bernard.
By 7. E. Eccard.
At the Bottom of the Brown Stair Cafe.
A Colofs Statue of Hercules. His Action is to fhew fome of his Labours; he looks with an Air of Satisfaction that he has compaffed the taking of the Golden Apples, Three of which he fhews in one Hand.

This is not in a refting Pofture as that of Farnefe; it was judged to be very curious by one of the beft Sculptors of the oldeft Time.
Of the Tomb.

I fhall here Tranfcribe the Account given of it by Father Montfaucon, when it was in the Poffeffion of M. Foucault.

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The Monument that follows, is one of the fineft and moft inftructive that has been ever feen: The Excellence of the Work, and correctnefs of the Defign, would eafily inform us it muft be a Piece of fome Greek Artift, even tho' the Place where it was firt difcover'd did not. It is a Tomb near Atbens, which was difcovered by fome Travellers, who brought it over into France to prefent it to Cardinal Richelieu; but the Cardinal dying in the mean Time, it came into the Hands of one of the Family of Rofaing; and from that into M. Foucault's.

The Tomb is white Marble, fix Feet four Inches long, and two Feet broad, and about the fame Height taking in the Cover, which is about two Inches and a Half thick; the Cover is raifed about one Foot higher before, and is adorned with fome Figures in Bafs-Relief, which relate to the Hiftory reprefented below, as we fhall take Notice of hereafter. The inner Superficies of the Tomb is plain, with a Rifing of about one Inch in the Place where the Head of the deceafed fhould reft.

This is the Epitaph,
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That is, To the Gods the Manes. Antonia Valeria bath made this Tomb for Aurelius Epaphroditus ber Hufband.
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In Wilton-House.
M. de Boze, Secretary of the Academy of Belles Lettres, a fkilful Antiquary, hath given a very ingenious and learned Explication of this Monument, which we fhall give an abftract of here.

Ceres, angry for the Rape of her Daughter, efpecially becaufe the Gods had confented to it, refolved to lead a wandering Life among Men, and for this Purpofe affumed a human Shape. She came to the Haven Eleufis, and fat herfelf down on a Stone. Celeus King of the Eleufinians, perfuades her to come and Lodge in his Houfe. His Son Triptolemus, then an Infant, was Sick, and for want of Sleep was reduced to the laft Extremity. Ceres, at her arrival kiffed him, and by Virtue of that kifs only, reftored him to his Health, and not content with doing this, fhe takes Care, of his Education, and defigns to make him Immortal; to this End fhe nourifh'd him by Day with her own divine Milk, and by Night puts him under hot Embers, in order to burn away all that was terreftrial in his Body. The Infant grew fo faft, that his Father and Mother Metonira were curious to fee what was done to the Child, Metanira feeing Ceres juft going to put the Child into the Fire, cried out, and interrupted the Goddefs in her Defigns; then fhe declared who fhe was, gave Triptolemus a Chariot drawn by two Dragons, and fent him thro' the World to teach Mankind Agriculture, and gave him fome Corn for that Purpofe. The Eleufinians, who were the Firlt that applied themfelves to Agri-
culture,
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culture, inftituted a Feaft in Memory of it; and the Goddefs herfelf regulated the Ceremonies, and appointed the Four principal Men of the Town, Triptolemus, Diocles, Eumolpus, and Celeus to prefide over them; and this Inftitution of the Rites called Eleufinia, is the Thing reprefented on the Tomb of Epaphroditus. Ceres is reprefented here fitting, and like an old Woman, but her Age takes nothing from her of the Majefty proper for a Goddefs. Her Head-drefs ends in a Peek, fomething raifed before; and half her Head is covered with a Veil, the ufual Drefs of the Goddeffes and Empreffes. The Stone, on which the fits, reprefents that on which Celeus found her fitting, and oppreffed with Grief. The Serpent is frequently pictured with Ceres, the Goddefs holds a crooked Staff in her Hand that is a Sceptre, and which we find reprefented longer, and more ftrait in other antient Monuments. The four Perfons about Ceres, are Celeus and his Family. He appears at a Diftance from the Goddefs, but his Daughter nearer, Metanira is there too, they both have Ears of Corn in their Hands, becaufe they were the Firft acquainted that fhe was a Goddefs.

Triptolemus is mounted in his Chariot, with a Cloak or Pallium over his Shoulder, rather to hold the Corn he is going to fow, than to cover himfelf. The Chariot is drawn by two Dragons a-breaft. Beyond Triptolemus's Charriot, two Women are pictur'd with Torches in their Hands as was ufual for Women to bear at
the Ceremonies of this Goddefs. The Man between thefe two Women Eumolpus, one of the Perfons appointed by Ceres to prefide at her Myfteries ; and in whofe Family the Priefthood continued for twelve hundred Years. The Hieropbante, of this Family of the Eumolpido, were obliged to Celibacy. Eumolpus leans one Hand on one of the Women's Shoulders, and the other Hand on the other Woman's Shoulder. The Child holding Ears of Corn in his Hand, denotes that Ceres's Gifts are for every Age, and that even Children were initiated into her Myfteries. The Woman laft in this Piece holds a Sickle in her Hand, an Inftrument the Pagans believed they owed to Ceres, as alfo all others ufeful in Agriculture.

This is all the Goddefs's Company on one Side, but behind her there are other Figures. Baccbus, the Firft of them leans negligently on Ceres's Shoulder, and touches a Vine full of Grapes with his other Hand, the Crown of Vine Leaves which he wears, leaves us no Room to doubt that it is Baccbus, Ceres and Bacchus are fo frequently joined together in the Myfteries as well among the Romans, as the Greeks and Sicilians, that it is not at all trange to meet them together in this Monument. On the Side of Bacchus a Man fands, with his Hair in a Knot upon his Forehead, and his Ha bit tied up twice with his Girdle, and holding a Whip in one Hand, and with his other feizing the Reigns of Horfes in a Chariot in order to ftop them. It-is probable this is Diocles one

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of the Four that Ceres had appointed to prefide at her Feafts; and what further fupports the Conjecture is, that Homer, when he Names thefe four Perfons in a Hymn, calls Diocles the Guider of the Horfes. Befides, fince we have feen, Celeus, Eumolpus, and Triptolemus, three of thefe four Perfons in the Company, can we think Diocles alone would be omitted? The Figure that drives the Chariot is Proferpine or Diana, the Moon according to Mythologifts, and who is called frequently by the Poets Triple Hecate, with Reference to the different Offices the performs under different Names in Heaven, in Hell, and on Earth. It may be proved by fufficient Authorities, that Proferpine partook of the Myfteries of her Mother Ceres. The Baccbanalian under the Chariot of Proferpine, hath laid herfelf there, tired with long Dancing, as was ufual in all Grecian Rites and Myfteries.

This is the Explanation of the principal Face of the Tomb. We come now to that of the Cover or Lid, which exhibits the four Seafons of the Year, reprefented by a like Number of Women; the Diverfity of their Crowns and Habits, and the different Fruits they hold, together with the Children or Geniufes with them, do accurately exprefs the Variety of the Seafons. The Artift hath not placed the Figures in the ordinary Situation, but in an Order that makes a fine Contraft in the whole, and gives more Force and Spirit to the Compofition. Summer and Winter Seafons, oppofite to each other,
other, are reprefented by two Figures, one at each Extremity; the one lying down, leaning from the Right towards the Left, the other from the Left towards the Right ; and between both of thefe, the Spring and the Autumn are placed, as partaking equally of both thofe Seafons. The four Genii are placed in the fame Order. The Summer is pictured at one Extremity lying down, leaning from the Right towards the Left, is half naked, and is crowned with Ears of Corn, and touches others which are tied up together in the Cornucopia. The Genius by her, touches the fame, and holds befides, a Reaping-Hook in his Hand, denoting the Seafons of Harveft.

The Winter, at the other Extremity, lies down, leaning from the Left towards the Right, in the Figure of a Woman cloathed well, and with her Head covered with Part of her Robe; fhe ftretches out her Hand over fome other Fruits. The Genius before her hath no Wings, feems to be cloathed warm, and holds a Hare, becaufe Hunting is the only Exercife of the Field in this Seafon.

Autumn turns towards the Summer, is crowned with Vine-Twifts and Bunches of Grapes; The touches the Vine-Leaves with one Hand, and her little Genius places Grapes in her Cornucopia.

Laftly, that Part of her Body which is next to the Summer is naked, and that next the Winter cloathed.
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The Spring, with her Back joined to Autumn, is reprefented in the Figure of a Woman crowned with Flowers, and with her Cornucopia, which a Genius holds, filled with the fame. Her Foot, which fhe extends towards, Winter, hath a Covering on, and that Part of her Breaft only is naked which is turned towards the Summer.

The Torch which is pictured on both the fmall Sides of the Tomb, is fo frequently reprefented in Funeral Monuments, that is enough to fay here they were as much in Ufe at the Funerals of thofe Times, as they are in thofe. of the prefent Age. The two Griffins and the Tripos are the Symbols of Apollo, whofe Head: is pictured at each End of the Tomb, denoting he was the Tutelar God of Epaphroditus.

There ftands upon this Tomb, a Colofs Buft. of Alexander the Great, of the beft Greek Sculpture ; Medusa's Head is on the BreatPlate, a Lion's Face appears on the Helmet, which has a particular Creft on it.

## Under the Tomb laft mentioned.

A little Statue of a crouched Bacchus.
A fmall Tomb, fuppofed for Children : There are two Cupids on the Front, fupporting a Circle which projects; under the Circle are two Bafkets lying fideways, with Fruit in them; a Lion at each Bafket, as going to devour the Fruit : At the Ends of the Front are two more Cupids,

Cupids, they look very forrowful, with one Hand upon their Breaft, the other Hand holding a Torch with the lighted End downward. There is a Griffin at each End of the Tomb. A Statue of Cupid lying afleep upon the aforefaid Tomb. Another Cupid looking on him.

In the two Windows of the Stair-Cafe, and in four Niches, (one on each Side of the Windoros) are fix Statues.

In the firf Window is the Statue of Mercury, with all his three Symbols, 'Wings," Caduceus, and a Purfe in his Hand held up; he has Wings alfo at his Heels, as well as his Head.

> In the Niche on your Left-Hand.

SATURN, with a Child fmiling on his Hands as it looks up at him; not as fome, (efpecially of the Moderns) who have made a cruel Spectacle, by reprefenting him as actually eating the Child.

In the Niche on your Rigbt-Hand.
The Statue of Jupiter Ammon from Thbrace, not only with Rams Horns, but with a Ram on his Shoulders; it came out of the. Temple, faid to be built there by Sefofris.
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In the other Window.
The Statue of Bacchus clad with an entire Skin, the Head of which appears on the Breaft; his Sandal is fixed in a Manner differing from others.

In the Niche on your Left-Hand.
A Shepherd playing on the Flute, admir'd for the Action of his Fingers; a Goat ftanding by him.

> In the otber Niche.

The Fofter Father of Paris, with the Pbrygian Bonnet and Shepherd's Coat of Skins.

In the Paffage leading into the Billiard Room, begin on your Left-Hand.

The Bufto of Ртоlomy, Brother of Cleopatra.

The Statue of Diana; fhe has a Crefcent on her Head, holds Part of a Bow in her left Hand, and takes an Arrow with her right Hand out of her Quiver.

The Bufto of Martin Folkes, Efq; of Hillington in Norfolk, and Prefident of the: Royal Society in the Year I749.

By Roubiliac.

The Statue of Clio the Mufe.
The Bufto of Aspasia, the who taught Socrates Rhetoric.

The Bufto of Dolabella.
The Statue of the Father of Julius Cafar, when Governor in Egypt.

The Bufto of Sir Andrew Fountain. By Roubiliac.

The Statue of Plautilla, the Wife of Caracalla, drefs'd like Diana the Huntrefs.

The Bufto of Coriolanus.
On the Right-Hand Side is,
The View of Lincoln's Inn Fields. By Inigo Jones.

On the Left-Hand Side is,
The View of Covent-Garden.
By Inigo Jones.


## THE

## BILLIARD-ROOM.

Begin on the Left-Hand.
In the firft Window,

THE Statue of Bacchus, very fine antient Sculpture, adorn'd in a particular Manner with Poppies; the Poppies hang as a Belt from both Shoulders as low as the Knees.

The Bufto of Titus Livius.
The Statue of Pomona fitting; the Cufhion fo naturally cut as to appear foft.

The Bufto of M. Junius Brutus.
In the fecond Window.
The Statue of Marcus Antoninus, the Orator, very much admired.

The Buftos and Statue between the fecond Windore and the third.

Annius Verus.

The Statue of Adonis: He was an Iddol of Syria, and the fame as Tbammuz; the Lamentation of whom is condemn'd by the Prophet Ezzekiel. He is reprefented as a very beautiful Youth, and is faid to have made Gardens pleafant by pruning. Here he has a pruning Knife, hence the Proverb, Adonidis Horti,

The Bufto of Plautilla,

> In the third Wiridow,

The Statue of Venus, ftanding in a very genteel eafy Pofture, holding a Vafe which the has emptied, refting her Elbow of that Arm on a Pillar.

On the other Side of the third Window,
The Bufto of Nerva,
The Statue of Hercuies wrefling with Anteus; he only gripes him high from the Ground, agreeable to the Story, that if he touch'd his Mother Eartif he regain'd Strength.

The Bufto of Calius Caldus

## On the Cbimney Side.

The Bufto of Lucrlea Junior.

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The Bufto of Labienus Parthicus.
The Statues in the Chimney are,
Young Bacchus fmiling, and Grapes growing up a Tree.

> The other,

The Infant Hercules killing the Serpent.
In the Middle.

A Statue of King Harry the Eighth. It is fronted with the Pembroke Arms.

> The Relievos in the Cbimney are,

On one Side, Neptune and Attendants.
On the other Side, Venus and Attendants.
The Bufto of Marcia Otacilla, Wife of Plilip.

A Bifrons of Janus and his Wife.
A Statue of Ceres, a Cornucopia in her Right Hand, in her Left, fhe holds Ears of Corn and a Poppy, a very genteel Figure and fine Sculpture.

A Bifrons,

A Bifrons, two young Women, their Countenances different, and fo are their curled Locks; one has a Diadem, the other a triple Contexture of her Hair elegantly tied.

The Bufto of Matidia.
Over the Doors two Buftos.
A Greek Cupid with Agate Eyes.
Gryphina, Daughter of Ptolemy Evergetes.

## PICTURES.

The late Sr. Charles Hotham. By Mr. Ricbardfon.

Barbara, Countefs of Pembroke, (fecond Wife to Earl Thomas) with her Daughter Lady Bab Herbert, the late Lady Bab North. By Sir Godfrey Kneller.

The late Duke of Montague, By Del.
Mary, Countefs of Pembroke, laft Wife to Earl Thomas. By Jervois.

In this Room is a Model of a feventy Gun Ship.
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## PI C T U R E S

 In THEWhite Marble-Table Room.

THE Virgin, Christ, St. john, and St. Chatharine. 3. By Parmegiano.
A Madona.
3. By Carlo Dulci.

A Landfcape, with Ferry-Boats and feveral Figures. 4. By Harman Sachtleven.

St. John preaching in the Wilderne/s, containing twenty Figures as big as the Life. In it are the Faces of Tintoret and Titian: It coft Earl Pbilip, fix hundred Piftoles. I. By Palma.

Leda and the Swan.

> 3. By Leonardo da Vinci.

The Head of an old Man.
4. By Augufino Carrach.

Belshazzar's Feaft, a Multitude of Figures. A great Aftonifhment appears in all the Company at the Table, \&c. 4. By Old Frank:

Christ in the Virgin's Arms, the Straw below, three Angels are looking on.

> 3. By Carlo Maratti.

St. Sebastian fhot with Arrows. 5. By Scarcelina da Ferrara.

A Landfcape, Cattle, and Travellers, Horfes with Packs.
4. By Berchem.

A Capital Picture. It reprefents our Saviour wafhing St. Peter's Feet, the other Difciples being prefent, fome reading, one of them pulling off another's Stocking, in order to be next wafhed.

1. By Tintoretto.

St. Anthony.
4. By Correggio.

A Nativity.
4. By Theadoro.

Christ taken from the Crofs, ten other Figures with Atrong Expreffions of the Solemnity. The Virgin has her Right Hand under our $S a-$ viour's Head, as lifting him up, while Fofepb of Arimathea (who is richly dreffed) is wrapping the Linen-Cloth round him. Behind $\mathfrak{F o}$ feph are two Men, one of them has the Superfcription in his Hands, and the Crown of Thorns upon his Arm; the other is as talking to him, pointing with one Hand to the Virgin, and the other towards $\mathfrak{F}$ ofeph. On the other side is St. Jobn with his Hands folded together,

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Two whole Lengths of two Kings of France. Francis II. and Cbarles IX. 4. By Fred. Zucchero.

> A Friar and Nun. 2. By Aldegraef, Bacchus and Ariadne.

By Fran. Molas.
Three Children of King Henry VII,
Arthur Prince of Wales; Henry about three Years old, who was afterwards King Henry VIII, and Margaret, who married the King of Scotland.
4. By Hans Holbein the Father.

## In the Windore is,

The Statue of Isis: She has the Flower of the Lotus on her Head; She is in a Pofition bending, and her whole Legs and Arms appear round, not as commonly in Egyptian Statues, which were ftrait and formal, fhewing only the Feet. This was reckon'd the oldeft, and by the Mazarine Catalogue the only one known with that Improvement. It is a Group, for The holds betwixt her Knees, Osiris her Hufband, in a Coffin open, in one of whofe Hands is a Paftoral Staff, crook'd at the End as a Shepherd's to draw his Sheep out of Danger. This was the antient fatherly Sceptre, (tho' fince, Sceptres are very much otherways adorned) and anfwers to the Crofier of the Clergy. In the other Hand he has an Inftrument of Difcipline like a Whip, the Symbols of Power to protect and punifh. On his Head is the antienteft Diadem or Mitre, being Triple, yet not as the Pope's Crown, but rather like the Mitre of Bifhops, only with three Points inftead of two at the Top.

Orus, her Son, is about her Neck. Thefe were of the moft antient Divinities. There are a great Multitude of Hieroglyphicks quite round the Bottom, and behind the Statue.

Over the Doors.
The Buftos of Hesiod and Phedra.
A white

A white Marble Table, ten Feet and eight Inches long, four Feet and fix Inches wide, four Inches thick. On it a dying Gladiator.

A large A. Relievo of a Vestal Virgin graved in Father Montfaucon.

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## THE

## CHAPEL ROOM.

Begin with the Buftos on the Right-Hand.

## DLATO.

Anacharsis, (over a Marble ChimneyPiece of Inigo Fones) Mary Fitz-William Countefs of Pembroke, Socrates, Aristotie, Homer.

On the Window Side begin with the fartheft on the Rigbt-Hand.
Isocrates.
A Statue of Cupid, with a Pbrygian Bonnet on his Head, and his Hands ty'd behind him.

The Bufto of Plotina, Wife of Trajan.
In Wilton-House.

## In the fir $f$ Window.

A very fine Greek Statue of a River, repreSented by a beautiful Naiad (or River Nymph) fleeping on the Bank, with a genteel Turn of her Body, the Linen covering her very decently. This is probably the River called in Scripture the River of Egypt, tranllated in the Septuagint Rbinocurura, and is the Boundary between Egypt and Palefine. In the Front, a Bird holds a Lizard by the Tail: It has a Tuft of Feathers on its Head, and is like a fmall fpeckled Bird in Erypt, near as large as a Dove, which is called Ter Chaous, i. e. the Meffenger Bird; it fpreads the Tuft of Feathers on its Head very beautifully, when it alights on the Ground. Another Lizard is going away, and a Snail is near it, exactly like the Snail of Paleftine. A Bird, like a Duck, has a Serpent in it's Mouth.

## Between the two Windows.

The Bufto of Hercules.

## The Statue of a Boy holding up the Golden Apple in his Right-Hand.

The Bufto of Libertas.

In the otber Window.
A Figure recumbent, leaning on a Sea-Dog, and reprefenting the River Meander.

On the other side of the fecond Window.
A Bufto of Domitianus.
The Statue of Andromeda chain'd to the Rock.

The Butto of Anacreon. Phocion.

> Over the firft Door.

## Curius Dentatus.

Over the Door leading into the Chapel.
Gordianus.
On the Window in the Chapel is painted,
William, Earl of Pembroke, and his two Sons, Henry and Edward. Henry the Eldeft, who fucceeded his Father, married Mary, Sifter to Sir Pbilip Sidney, by whom he had two Sons, William and Pbilip; William, in the Reign of King Charles the Firt, was Lord Steward; Pbilip fucceeded him in the Earldom, and was Lord Chamberlain to King Cbarles the Firt. Edward the youngeft, was Anceftor of the Powis Family. In another Pannel is the Coun-

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tels of Pembroke, who was Ann Parr, Sifter to Queen Catharine, the last Wife to King Henry VIII. There is with her their Daughter, whole Name was Ann, married to Francis, Earl of Sbrewfoury.

Over the Door in the Chapel.
The Buffo of Liberia.
Over the Door leading into the Cube Room.
The Bunt of Domitia.
Begin the Pictures with tho fe over the Buffo of Plato.

The Virgin, St. Ann, old Joseph, and our Saviour, who is putting a Ring on St. Catharine's Finger. 3. By Julio Romano.

Thirty of the Chief Reformers: Their Names are on a Stone in the Bottom of the Landfkip. Wickliff is fuppofed to be the Preacher. Thole that were Bifhops are in Purple, the Priefts in Black, and fuch as were Martyrs in White, diftinguifhed by Purple and Black about their Necks. 3. By a Difciple of Carlo Maratti.

An Antique of the Virgin and our Savigour.

Judith cutting off Holifernes's Head. 5. By Mantegna.

A Nativity; at a Diftance the Shepherds with the Sheep, an Angel in the Clouds. 3. By Dionigo Calvart.

A Nativity. 3. By Giaco Inga.
The Roman Charity.
3. By Pietro Dandeni.

The Money Changers and People with the Doves in the Temple. 3. By Fetti.

Lott and his two Daughters. 2. By Francefcbini.

The Virgin, our Saviour, St. John, and an Angel. 3, By Benardino Gatti.

The Labours of Hercules. 4. By Francis Floris.

The Virgin with our Saviour in her Arms, old Joseph is looking on them, very fine. 2. By Guercino.

Noah, with his Family and Animals, going into the Ark.
2. By Bafano.

The Virgin, with Christ and St. John. Christ is very lively on her Knee, and St. Jobn is alleep. 2. By Pelegrini da Modena.

When you enter the South Front towards the Garden (which whole Front is a beautiful Building of Inigo Fomes) pafs thro' the Cube Room into the Hunting R:om, the laft Room at the Weft End of that Front.

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## THE

## HUNTINGROOM.

Begin the Buftos on your left Hand.

${ }^{\top}$UL I A, incomparably fine Greek Scuipture, and (as feveral others in this Collection) of Parian Marble. She was Wife to Agrippa, Daughter of Scribonia, third Wife to Auguftus.

Antonia, Wife of Drufus the Elder. The Linen of this Butt is very natural.

The Bufto of Alexander Severus.
Berenice the Mother, her Hair in a particular Manner.

Berenice the Daughter.

The next are two Statues, then proceed on with the Bufts.
Faunus, finely twifting his Body, by looking down over his Shoulder at his Leopard.

By Cleomenes.
Cupid, when a Man, breaking his Bow after he had married Pfyche. By Cloemenes.

Julia, Daughter of Titus.
Anna Faustina, third Wife of Heliogabulus; very fine like that of Antonia.

Mago, the famous Cartbaginian. Scipio would not burn Cartbage till he had fecur'd the Book which Mago had written of Agriculture ; the fubftance of which is ftill preferv'd in the Writings of Cato, Varro, and the other Authors de Re-publica.

Titus, Faunus, Jupiter, Tullia.
On a Table of antique Oriental Alabafter, (Deaspro fionto) which is of one folid Piece of great Value.

A Group, Cupid and Ganymede: Ganymede is fitting, and refting againft the Stump of a Laurel; the Leaves fhew that it is an Alexandrian Laurel, the fame as we fee on antient

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antient Medals, not the ftiff, large leav'd Laurel, which adorns modern Kings in their Coins, from a Miftake of what the Antients ufed. It is rare to fee the diftinct Form of the feven Pipes, as here exprefs'd. Cupid is very attentively looking on, and reaching his Hand out towards the Pipes, as if to inftruct Ganymede how to play.

On the Pannels of the Wainfcot are painted eighteen different Sorts of Hunting.
By Tempefta, Junr.


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Begin on the Left-Hand coming out of the Hunting-Room. As bere are but four Statues, I fall mention the Word Statue as I come to them.

MASSINISSA, King of Numidia, with the African Bonnet on his Head, and the Head of Medufa and the upper Parts of
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two Dragons on his Breaft-Plate ; between the Dragons is a Plant, probably the Silpbium, for which Numidia was famous.

Aventinus, Son of Hercules; the Head of a Lion's Skin making the Covering for his Head, and the two fore Paws tied in a Knot upon his right Shoulder; an elegant Performance. The Peculiarity of this Hero's Drefs agrees with the Defcription Virgil has given of him in the feventh Æneid:

Great Aventinus, great Alcides' Son, Wore the proud Tropby that bis Fatber won. He falk'd before bis Hoft, and wide defpread A Lion's Teeth grinn'd borrid o'er bis Head; Then fought the Palace in a ftrange Attire, And look'd as ftern and dreadful as bis Sire. Pitt, B. 7. L. 838.

Didia Clara, Daughter of the Emperor Didius Fulianus, with a Bracelet on her Arm. Her Right-Hand is holding up Part of her Cloathing, two little Cupids at the Bottom of the Bufto.

## On a Porpbyry Table.

Apollonius Tyaneus. It is lively in the Attitude, with his Arm tucking his Garment about him. When it was firft fold at $V a l e t t a$ 's Sale, a Gentleman gave more than 2701. for it. There were then in the South-

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Sea Time feveral Antiques fold for above 2001. each, as the Homer which the Emperor ConJantine got from Smyrna; Horace, the Poet, of Pophyry; Cicero, of Touchftone; and $\mathcal{F} u$ lius Cafar, in Oriental Alabafter, which Tbomas Earl of-Pembroke afterwards bought.
On a Porplyry Table.

Popp压a, Nero's fecond Wife: Her RightHand is holding up Part of her Garment, the Plaiting and Drefs of the Hair very fingular.

Semiramis; at the Bottom of the Buft are two little Cupids.

Marcellus the Younger.
Cesonia, the Bufto all of tranfparent Alabafter, the fourth Wife of Caligula.

Arsinoe, the Daughter.
On a Table of Jafper Agate, (Diafpro Antico) which is very beautiful, are the three following Tbings:

A Nuptial Vafe, reprefenting the whole Ceremony of a Greek Wedding, from the Beginning of the Sacrifice to the Wafning of the Bride's Feet ; it is very fine Work.

The Statue of Diana of Ephefus; the Head, Hands, and Feet black, the reft white Marble, as defcribed by Pliny; probably of the fame Form as the Statue of the Diana of Ephefus, mentioned in the Acts of the Apofles. It is engraved in Montfaucon's firt Volume.

A Roman Urn, Variety of very fine Work all round it, of Figures, Foliages, Birds, \&c.

Octavia, the firt Wife of Nero, of fine colour'd Marble; her Head-Drefs alfo very fine, with Leaves and Ears of Corn bound round upon her Hair. This Buft, and that of Poppaa, are both very curious.

Metellus without a Beard, by a very fine Greek Sculptor, all of a Piece down to the Navel; the only one which fhews the Ornament of a Chain, which is of very rich Work. On his Breaft-Plate is an Elephant, a Laurel quite round the Outfide of it. The Confular Medal of Metellus has likewife an Elephant on the Reverfe, but the Head of that is bearded, fuppofed to be a Divinity with the Name- only of Metellus: The Elephant is added in Memory of the Victory he gained over Yugurtha, King of Numidia, upon which he obliged him to deliver up all his Elephants to the Romans,

Messalina, fifth Wife of Claulius, of hard faline Marble: She has a confident Air
agreeable
agreeable to her Character; the Marble of her Cloathing very naturally reprefents a fine ftriped Silk.

The Bufto of Marcia, the firf Wife of Septimus Severus. The Plaiting of the Hair and the Drefs of the Head very fingular.

On a Marble Table, (the Produce of Mount Edgcumbe) are the five following Tibings:

An antient Greek triangular Altar to Bacchus: On one Side Silenus holds a Torch inverted in his Right-Hand, in his Left-Hand a Canitter full of Fruit: On another Side is an Attendant of Bacchus dancing with one Foot up, and a Thyrfus in his Right-Hand; in his Left-Hand a Bowl, and a Skin of a Beaft on his Arm: On the other Side is a Bacchuts dancing in a long thin Garment.

Upon this Altar ftands a little Statue of Baccbus, with Grapes and with the Snake, the peculiar Symbol of the Egyptian Bacchus, who invented Medicine, and was faid to be the Sur and Apollo.

An A. Relievo of Pyrrhus, the Son of Acbilles, it is an Oval, and has a fplendid Afpect as of a very large Gem, the Face is Porphyry, which the Cardinal Mazarine fo much valued as to finifh his Drefs with a Helmet of different coloured Marble.

A fquare Altar, each of the four Sides has a Divinity Fupiter, Mars, Diana and Funo. This was one of thofe Altars for a private Room, which Altars they ufed to have in their Houfes, to Worfhip fuch Deities as they made their Lares and Penates.

Upon this Altar ftands a little Satute of an antient Prieft with a Pbrygian Cap, facrificing a Hog to $I / s$ s.

Vespasian Trajan, the Head, Buft, and Plinth of Parian Marble, the Face and Neck only polifhed.

Marcus Aurelius on Horfeback, made at Atbens and fo efteemed, that the Sculpture was fent for to Rome to make that which is there in Copper as big as the Life.

The Perfon is in the fame Pofture, but this a Macedonian Horfe, fmall and of Marble; to prevent the breaking, Cardinal Mazarine had one Side cemented to a Marble which comes out at the Bottom, fquared as a Pavement, on on which the Horfe is as walking; this ftands upon a gray Granite Table, which belonged to a Temple, and was for the facrificing of leffer Animals, as Birds, \&c.. That the Blood might not run over the Edges; it has a remarkable Channel as big as to lay one's Finger in, round the outermoft Edge of the four Sides of the Flat next the Moulding, and in the Middle of one
of the Channels is a Hole for the Blood to run through.

Claudius, the Buft is the Jafper Marble; Pyrrbus King of Epirus, with a noble Air, it has a Dragon on the Helmet, and on his BreaftPlate there is a Head with Wings; it is like the Head of a Bat.

Begin the Pictures with the two double balf Lengths, which are between the two laft Bufto's, then the two double balf Lengths on the other Side Door.

Mrs. Killegrew and Mrs. Morton; they were celebrated Beauties. By Vandyke.

Mr. James Herbert and his Wife. By Sir Peter Lely.

The Earl and Countefs of Bedford.
By Vandyke.

The Countefs of Pembroke (Mother of Earl Thomas) and herSifter.

> By Sir Peter Lely.

Henry, Earl of Pembroke (Father of the prefent Earl) when about feventeen Years old. By Sir Godjrey Kneller.

William Earl of Pembroke, elder Brother to Earl Thomas.

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Lady Catherine, Eldeft Daughter to Earl Thomas (was married to Sir Nicholas Morrice) and her Brother, Mr. Robert Herbert. By Sir Godfrey Kneller.

Thomas Earl of Pembroke, when Lord High Admiral. By Mr. Wifing.

Our Saviour and the Woman of Samaric. I. By Giofeppe Cbiari.

The Countefs of Pembroke, firft Wife of Earl Thomas. By Mr. Wi/jing.

The Virgin, our Saviour, and Josepi reading : There are alfo feveral Boys in different Actions.

1. By Gennari,

## In the Cieling.

Dexalus and Icarus.
I. By Giofeppe Arpino.

On the Bottom Pannels of this Room is Painted the Hiftory of the Countefs of Pembroke's Arcadia, Written by Sir Philip Sidney.

By the Brother of Seignior Tommafo.


## P I C T U R E S,

 BUSTOS and TABLES INTHE
## GREAT ROOM.

Begin the Pictures with the celebrated Family Piece.

THIS confifts of ten whole Lengths, the two principal Figures (and thele are fitting) are Philip Earl of Pembroke and his Lady; on the Right-Hand ftand their five Sons, Charles Lord Herbert, Philip, (afterwards Lord Herbert) William, James, and John; on the Left their Daughter. Anna Sophia, and her Hubband Robert Earl of Carnarvon; before them Lady Mary, Daughter of George Duke of Buckingbam, and Wife to Cbarles Lord Herbert ; and above in the Clouds are two Sons and a Daughter who died young. This and all the other Pictures in this Room are By Vandyke,

On the Right-Hand of the great Picture, over a Door, is an half Length of King Charles

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Charles the Firft; and on the Left-Hand, over a Door, an half Length of his Queen.

On the Cbimney Side.
A whole Length of William, Earl of Pembroke, Lord Steward.

A whole Length of the firt Lady of the fecond Earl Philif.

Three Children of King Cbarles the Firft.
Whole Lengths of the Dutchefs of Rich mond, (firft married to Cbarles Lord Herbert) and Mrs. Gibson the Dwarf.

A whole Length of Earl Philip, who is in the great Picture. Over a Door.
A half Length of the Countefs of CASTLEhaven.

Over a Door.
A half Length of the fecond Earl Philip.

> On the Garden Side.

Two large Pier-Glaffes,
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67 high,
47 wide,
in the Plate.

Under the one,
A Red Egyptian Granite Table,
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On it Morpheus, the God of Sleep, in black Touchftone; his Head wreathed with Poppies, and a Poppy in one Hand.

> Under the other,

A Lapis Lazuli Table,
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On it a fleeping Cupid.
The Paintings in the Ceiling reprefent feveral Stories of Perseus, as, particularly, the cutting off Medufa's Head, and the relieving of Andromeda. The great Oval, in the Middle of thefe, fhews a very natural Section of a Temple in Perfpective, feeing the Sky thro' a round Top: It plainly relates to Perfeus, becaufe it fhews the fame Face and Drefs as in the former. There is a Prieft, in great Concern, at the Altar; it is Perfeus, to revenge himfelf on Polydectes, for the Injuries offer'd to his Mother and Dictys, whom he found at the Altar; whither they had been forced to fly for Sanctuary from his Violence.

Begin the Buffos on the Left-Hand of the Chimney Side.

Marcellus, the famous Conful.
Drusus the Elder, Brother of Tiberius.
Lucius Verus Casar.
Marcus Brutus, of the beft Greek Sculpture.

Caius Casar, upon a Table of the Verde Antico, or green antique Marble.

Didius Julianus.
Lucius Verus, when Emperor.
Lucius Cesar, Brother to Caius Cafar, upon an Agate Table. This Perfon and Gaius were Sons of Julia, Daughter of the Emperor Augufus and Scribonia.

Julius Casar, oriental Alabafter, noted, as may be feen by what is faid of it in Valetta's Collection. The Marble of the Breft-Plate is of the Colour of Steel.

Antinous; Septimus Severus; HoRACE, in Porphyry, mentioned alfo in Valetta's Collec-

Collection; Fabretti in his Comment gives good Reafons for it's being Horace.

Marcus Aurelius, Antoninus Pius, on this Buft, as alfo on feveral others in this Room, may be feen the true Habit that the Emperors wore when they appeared in various Colours, different colour'd Marbles being chofen for that Purpofe.

Cicero, of Touchftone, with the Mark of the Cicer or Vetch on his Face, from which he had the Name of Cicero.

The following Buftos on the Garden Side are all of white Marble, and the Terms upon which the Buftos fland in this Room are very fine Jafper and Marbles, many of which are antient.

Artemis or Diana; her Hair tied behind her, not to hinder her Shooting : The Air of the whole Buft is like the upper Part of the celebrated Statue of this Goddefs, and thought to be by the fame Sculptor. This (as feveral others) has, in Greek Characters, the Greek Name infcribed on it: It is of moft excellent Greek Workmanfhip.

Lucanus, the Head and Buft of Parian Marble, fine Sculpture. On the Bottom of the Buft is infcribed a Pegafus, to exprefs the Poett's rapid and fublime Genius.

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 A Defcription of the CuriofitiesCassandra, Daughter of Priamus: She was a Prophetefs, and had a Temple, and therefore wears a peculiar Head-Drefs, with feveral Bandages.

Ammonius; on it is inferibed in Greek the 229th Olympiad, which anfwers to the Year of Christ, 137.

Augustus, of the Parian Marble.
Germanicus, Prusias King of Bitby. nia, excellent Sculpture, pairs with that of Auguftus.

Scipio, Asiaticus, Caracalla, Vitelliưs and Alcibiades.

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## P I C T U R E S

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IN THE
L O B B Y,
Between the Great Room and the King's Bed-Chamber.

Begin the Pictures with that over the Door, next the Bed-Chamber.

THE Decollation of St. John. The Painter is an Honour to the Engli/h Nation. This Picture is fo finely painted, and with fuch ftrong Expreffions as to make him inferior to few of the beft Italian Mafters. King Cbarles ift, called him the Englifh Tintoret. Sir Peter Lely reckoned this the chief Hiftorical Picture that he did. 2. By Dobfon.

There are Two more Pictures on the fame Side, begin at the Top.

Variety of Fruits, Vines growing up a Pomegranate-Tree, and two Vintage People fome Fruit for her, and as he reaches up to the Twig, his Shirt flips down from one Shoulder, and naturally fhews his Skin there not to be tanned. Micbael Angelo, the Painter of this Picture was famous for travelling Figures; of which Sort one may fee at a Diftance, a Man driving an Afs. Sir-Robert Gere gave Michael Angelo's Widow three hundred Piftoles for this Picture, it being a favourite Picture, which her Hufband always kept for himfelf. He himfelf too painted the Figures, that are as big as the Life. In moft of his Pictures, the Figures as big as the Life, are put in by other Painters.

1. By Michael Angelo dalla Battaglia.

A Piece of fill Life, of Fowls, and a young Boar. 3. By Gabriel Salci.

## The Side over againft the Window,

Neptune and Amphytrite, with feveral other Figures. I. By Luca Giordano.

Under the laft are four Pictures, begin on the Rigbt Hand.

A Country Family, a Man and his Wife and two Children, one of which is afleep in a Cra dle,
5. By Brawer.

Two Pictures, compofed of different Sorts of Marble, out of the Duke of Florence's Collection. This Work is called in Itatian Pietre Commeff.

A Nativity.
5. By Taddio and Fred. Zucchero.

Over the Door next the Great Room.
The Angel, as fpeaking to Tobias about the Fifh, which is fwimming up to them. The Dog is between Tobias's Legs, barking at the Fifh.
2. By Procacino.

On the fame Side are two Pictures,
Ceres ftanding with a moft genteel Air, holding up Wheat. Given by the Duke of Parma to the Earl of Peterborough, when he conducted James the Second's Queen to England.
2. By Parmegiano.

A Flemirh School. The Painter commonly called the little Van Dyke. 2. By Gonfales.

> On the Garden Side,

The Difcovery of Achilles.
2. By Salviati.

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Under the laft are five Pictures, begin on the Left Hand.
The Virgin with Christ. 4. By Solari.
An Antique Picture from the Temple of Funo; Funo is fitting by a Temple, there are coming to her, Pallas, Hercules, Diana, Apollo, Ceres and Vertumnus, all with their Symbols in their Hands. 4.

A Nativity.
4. By Fan Van Eyck, 1410.

A Landfcape with Rocks, Water and three Travellers.
4. By Bartolemeo.

A Landfcape with a Man carrying a Fifhing Net. 4. By Francefo Giovanni.

## B U S T O S.

Begin at the Door next the Great Room.

MARCUS MODIUS, the only Bufto known with an Epitaph on it ; and the Bottom made round, fo as to fix it on the Hole in which his Afhes were put. A Perfon of this Name is mentioned in one of Cicero's Orations againt Verres. This might be the fame whom the Emperor Ausuufus made one of his Phyficians.
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## On a black and yellow coloured Marble Table whereon Cards are reprefented,

A Square Urn of the Emperor Probus and his Sifter Claudia; their Names are in a Squadre in the Center of the Front; there are Feftoons at the Sides of the Infcription, over it is an Eagle ftanding upon a Feftoon of Fruits, from out-of whofe Wings come two Serpents, they. are folded up in Ringlets with their Heads directed towards the Head of the Eagle, at the Bottom is a Tripod with a Griffin on each Side of it; at each Angle of the Front is a wreathed Column; the Angles next to the back Part are fluted Pilafters, between which and the Columns is a Laurel Tree, in the Pediment of the Cover are two Birds, that hold in their Bills the Ends of a String which ties a wreath of Laurel; on the Top of the Cover are in Alto Relievo, the Emperor and his Sifter.

SAPPHO, with the Bandage as deified, of the fineft Marble-like Ivory; the laft Perfection of Greek Sculpture, white as at firft making, becaufe (with feveral here) found in a Vault.

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THE

## KING's Bed-Chamber.

Ovier the Cbimney.

THE half Length of a Gentleman, fuppofed to be Prince Rupert.

By Vandyke.
In this. Cbamber is a black Marble Table, zobereon Cards are reprefented.

Next the Door going into the Lobby.
The Bufto of Drusilla.
Next the Door going into the Corner Room.
The Bufto of Horace the Confular.

## On the Cbimney.

The Buftos of Commodus and Polemon.

I don't think it amifs to acquaint the Cu rious, that the two next Rooms are worthy their Attention, for there are in them, fome of the beft Pictures in the Collection; namely, thofe

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thole of Bloemart, Spagnolet, Romanelli, Guido Rbeni, and Rubens; of which Mr. Hoare, of Bath, has made a very fine Copy in Crayons.

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IN THE

## CORNER ROOM.

Begin with that over the Door next, ta the King's Bed-Chamber.

THE Virgin, with Christ leaning the back Part of his Head againft her Breaft. He has a Bird in his Right-Hand.
3. By Crefpi.

On the fame Side are ten more Pictures, begin with

The Virgin teaching our Saviour to read. 3. By Guercino.

Philip Earl of Pembroke.
The Women bringing the Children to Christ. 4. By Sebafian Bourdon.

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> The Head of Mieris . 5. By himfelf.

A Charity with three Children, very natural. It was one of King Cbarles the Firft's Pictures.
2. By Guido Rbeni.

> A Landfcape.
> 3. By Rubens.

> Mary Magdalene;: i 2. By Titian.

Christ from the Crofs, two Boys holding up the Arms, and the Virgin devoutly ftretching out her Hands. At a Diftance appear the three Croffes, and a Group of little Figures with a Horfe. It was made for Henry II. King of France, which he gave to his Miftrefs, Diana Valentinois; and on the painted flat Frame, in one Corner, are the Arms of France, in another, a Monogram of the firft Letters of their Names; the other two Corners the Emblems of Diana, three Half-Moons in one, and a Quiver and Bow in the other. 3. By Michael Angelo.

An Affumption of the Virgin.
In the Arundel Catalogue it is faid, that his Lordfhip defired Rubens to paint for him a fine finifhed Clofet Picture, which is this Picture, being on an old Flemifb Board, moft beautifully coloured. There is a Group at Bottom of nine Angels, all in different Poftures, as raifing the
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the Cloud under the Virgin Mary. There are feveral pretty Cherubims Heads at the Side, and at the Top. It fo much pleafed Rubens, that he faid he would make a great Picture after it ; which he did at a Church at a Convent at Antwerp, where he has added Apoftles, as big as the Life.
5. By Rubens.

Bacchu's, with a Bowl in his Left-Hand, his right Arm refting on a Veffel ; an old Man emptying a Bafket of Grapes into a Fat, a Woman and Boys with two Bafkets of Fruit.

> 5. By a Scholar of Rapbael.

## On the Cbimney Side.

A whole Length of Democritus laughing, a Book in his Hand, very much efteemed. I. By Spagnolet.

Macdalene, as a Penitent, over-looking the Vanities of the World. Below her are fix Boys, as Cupids; they are handling Jewels, \&c. 5. By Dominicano, a Scholar of Guido.

Narcissus feeing himfelf in the Water. There are feveral Cupids in various Actions.
3. By Poufin.

The Defcent of the Holy Ghost. 5. By Salembeni.
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## Over the Chimney.

The Counters of Pembroke, and Lord Herbert, now Earl of Pembroke, when very young. 3. By Mr. Hoare, of Bath.

Christ aftride upon a Lamb, is held by the Virgin, old Joseph is looking on, and leaning on a Staff. 5. By Francejco Penni.

## Over the Door leading into the Clofet.

The Virgin, our Saviour, and St. John, 3. By Barocci.

The Side next to the Outer Court, begin with the upper one betwixt the Window and the Door.

A young Woman, with a Shock-Dog. 3. By Correggio.

A Madona, very fine, with feven Stars round her Head. 3. By Carlo Maretti.

A Piper.
3. By Georgione,

Old Joseph at Work, our Saviour hold e ing a lighted Lamp to him.
5. By Luca Congiagio.

The Virgin holding our Saviour by his Arms, St. John émbracing him, old Joseph is reading. 5. By Lodovico Carracci.

Mars and Venus. 4. By Vandervuarfe. 3
Four Children, reprefenting our SAviour, an Angel, St. John, and a little Girl. The Angel is lifting a Lamb to St. John, who has his Left-Hand upon it, and is in Difcourfe with our Saviour, as they are all fitting clofe together. Behind our Saviour is a Tree; and a Vine growing up it, with Grapes thereon. The Giri (reprefenting perhaps, fymbolically, the Chrifian Church) has hold of the Vine with one Hand, and in the other Hand has a Bunch of Grapes, which the is offering to our Saviour.

This is allowed to be the beft Picture in England of 2. Rubens.

A Landfcape. 4. By Claudio Lorrain.
The Virgin holding Christ in her Lap. St. Jobn has led a Lamb to him. Christ is looking at an Angel below on the Ground gathering Flowers; old Jofeph is higher up, with an Afs by him. 4. By Cantarini.

Christ lying on Straw in a Manger.

> 4. By Van Dyke.

On the other Side of the Window, begizs at the loweft.
King Richard II. \&xc. I here tranfcribe Hollar's Account of it. An elegant Reprefentation of King Richard the IId. (in his Youth) at his Devotion, painted on two Tables. In one he is reprefented kneeling by his three Patron Saints; St. Fobn Baptift, King Edmund; and King Edroard the Confeffor, having a Crown on his Head, clad in a Robe adorned with white Harts and Broom-Cods, in Allufion to his Mother's Arms, and his own Name of Plantagenifa. Thus he is praying to the Virgin Mary, with the Infant in her Arms, (on the other Table) furrounded with Chriftian Virtues, in the Shape of Angels, -with Collars of Broom-Cods about their Necks, and white Harts on their Bofoms; one holding up a Banner of the Crofs before them, and on the Ground are Lilies and Rofes.

St. John Baptift holds a Lamb in his left Arm, King Edrward the Confeffor holds a Ring between the Thumb and Fore-finger of his left Hand; King Edmund holds an Arrow in his Left-Hand, all their Right-Hands are directed to King Richard, as prefenting him to our Saviour, who inclines himfelf in a very kind Manner towards them. There are eleven Angels reprefented, each of them hath a Wreath of white Rofes round his Head. The Difpofition of their Countenances and Action of their Hands, is defigned to fhew that their Attention is em-
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ployed about King Ricbard. On the Glory round our Saviour's Head you may fee the Crofs reprefented in it, and round the Extremity of the Orb are fmall Branches of Thorns. On two Brafs Plates on the Bottom of the Picture is ingraved as follows, viz:

## Invention of Painting in Oil, 1410 .

This was painted before, in the Beginning of Richard II: 1377. Hollar engraved and dedicated it to King Cbarles I. and called it Tabula Antiqua of King Richard II. with his three Saints and Patrons, St. Fobn Baptift, and two Kings, St. Edmuind and Edward the Confeffor. This Picture was given out of the Crown by King Fames II. to Lord Caftemain, when he went Ambaffador to Rome, and bought, fince he died, by Thomas Earl of Pembroke. 4.

The three Kings Offering. - There are Horfes and many Figures, at feveral Diftances, of this Painter's beft colouring, with a glorious Eclat of Light breaking thro' the Clouds, in which are many Cherubims. That King who has a ftrong Light on his Forehead is the Painter himfelf. His whole Figures are beft, for he was famous for fuiting a proper Action to every Patt and to the Genius of the Perfon; as here a Groom, for Example, fhews a natural Affection to his Horfe, by kiffing his Nore. 3. By Paolo Veroneje.

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Apollo fleaing Marsyas.

> 4. By Piombo.

The Garden Side, begin on the Left-Hand of the Window.

Christ taken from the Crops.
5. By Figino.

The Virgin, old Joseph, Elizabeth, and Christ, who is putting a Ring on St. Catharine's Finger. 5. By Anguifciola.

Isaac bleffing Jacob. 4. By Lazarini.
Our Saviour carrying the Crofs. 4. By Andrea del Sarto.

The Harmony between Hiftory and Poetry very fine.
2. By Romanelli.

A Landicape with Figures dancing.
3. By Poelembourg.

Midas's Judgment. 5. By Pbilippo Lauro.
The Virgin and old Joseph teaching Christ to Read. 4. By Binardino Gatti.

Rape of Dejanira by Nefus the Centaur. Hercules is shooting at him.
5. By Carlo Creffi.

The Virgin, with Christ in her Lap. St. Jobn has hold of his right Foot with his right Hand.
5. By Gio Bat. Vico.

Some Market People. 4. By Crefpi.

On the other Side of the Windorv, begin with the biggeft.
A Shepherd and Shepherdefs.
2. By Bloemart.

The Virgin with Christ in her Lap. 5. By Rapbael.

A Nativity on Copper; neatly finifhed. 5. By Rubens.

A Man forcing a Boy to take Phyfick. 5. By Bambocci.

The Virgin with Christ about four Years old, as big as the Life, ftanding by her, a Figure as graceful as Rapbael Urbin. The Virgin is as talking to St. Jobn. More backward at her Right Side is a Woman with a Child in her Arms, both with graceful Countenances. 2. By Andrea del Sarto.

The Virgin reading with Christ in her Lap.
5. By Albano.

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Job and his three Friends.
5. By Andrea Sacchi.

Christ in the Virgins Arms, St. John is kipling him; Fofeph is looking on them. 5. By Scidone.

## In tide Cieling,

The Converfiont of St. Paul. St. Paul is struck from his Horfe, he and his Company appear in great Surprize.

工. I. By Luca Giordano.
On the Cbinurey-Piece are,
The But os of the Emperor Pertinax and of SOLON.

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## C L O S E T

## WITHIN THE

## CORNER ROOM.

Begin the Pictures with that over the DoorCafe, leading into the inner Part of the Room.

FI V E Soldiers, two expreffing great Fury to tear Christ's Coat, another is gravely interpoing, as if he was perfuading them to caft Lots for it, very fine.
2. By Annibal Carracci.

THbere are two Piciures on each Side of the laft mention'd, begin with the two on your Rigbt-Hand, afterwards on your Left.

The Virgin ; our Saviour is refting his Head and Right-Hand on her Bofom.
4. By Bloemart, Junr.

A Ruin with Landfcapes and Figures. 4. By Viviano.

A Shep-

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A Shepherdefs in a Straw-Hat, reprefenting the Princefs Sopbia. 4. By Gerrard Huntorft.

A Ruin with Landfcapes and Figures. 4. By Viviano.

On the Bow Windorw and Cbimney Sides, as you go round, begin with the loweft Pictures.

The River Tiber, Romulus and Remus fucking the Wolf. 4. By Del Po.

Our Saviour taken from the Crofs; the Virgin fheweth great Concern: There are three other Figures by them, and Angels in the Clouds. 2. By Valerio Caftelli.

King Edward VI. 4. By Hans Holbein.
Our Saviour afcending, with the four Emblems of the Evangelifts at the Bottom of the Clouds; two Angels are fupporting his Arms.

## Over the Cbimney,

The Virgin, exceedingly fine; the Veil painted with Ultra Marine. Maria da Fiori painted the Flowers with which the Virgin is furrounded.
3. By Carlo Dulci.

A half

A half Length of Titian.

> 3. By himfelf.

Two Boys playing with a Bird, which is tied with a String.

Two Cupids holding a third upon their Hands as carrying him, another Boy lying down by them.
5. By Sirani.

The Circumcifion of our SAviour.

> 5. By Fiorentino.

Christ in the Virgin's Lap; he holds St. John by the Hand.
5. By Lorenzo Garbieri.

The Devil tempting our Saviour.
5. By Paris Alfano Perugia.

The Prodigal Son returning Home.
4. By Wovermait,

Some Dutch People playing at Draughts, a Woman by them cutting Bread and Butter for a Boy, who is laying Grace.
4. By Egbert Hemfkirk.

People playing at Cards.
4. By Lucas Van Leiden.

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Day reprefented by Apollo .riding upon a Cloud, drawn by four Horfes. Night reprefented by a Figure with dark Wings, and Poppies round her Hand. By her are two Owls flying. : 5y Solimene.

St. Jerome.
5. By Borgiano.

Ruins and Figures. 5. By Paolo Panini.
St. Jонн preaching in the Wildernefs, fmall neat Figures. 5. By Rowland Savory.

St. Jerome. 5. By Giulio Cambi Veronefe.
St. Sebastian fhot with Arrows. 5. By Benedetto Luti.

The Prodigal Son going abroad. 4. By Woverman.

A young Woman holding a Candle. 4. By Schalken.

The Virgin, with Christ and Joseph. 4. By Fran. Imperiali.

Our SAviour about two Years old, fitting on a Stone; a Lamb is ftanding by him and licking his Hand, in which he hoids a String that is tied to the Leg of a Dove, which fits in a little open work'd Bafket. There are two other Figures. The Rays from the Glory raund
In Wilton-House.
round our Saviour's Head ftrikes a fine Light upon them. One of them has her Hand upon the Dove. 3. By Paola Mattbei.

Christ raifing Lazarus from the Dead. 3. By Sab. Ricci.

Pyrrhus brought dead out of the Temple, They are putting him into his Chariot. Several Figures appear in great Surprize.
3. By Pietro Tefta.

On the Corner Room Side, begin with that over the Door.

An old Man, with fome Sorts of Sweetmeat in a Pot, which he fells to the Children; there are fix about him; an extraordinary Pleafure appears in all their Countenances.
3. By Fran. Halls.

Andromache fainting on her hearing of the Death of her Hubband Hector. Here are twenty-five Figures. . I. By Primaticcio.

There are two Pictures under the above-mentioned, which are

Two Battle-Pieces. 3. By Burgognone.
Tmolus ftanding on a black and yellow Marble Table.

## On the Chimney-Piece,

Two young Faces in Bronze.

> In the Ceiling,

Venus's Birth: She is rifing out of the Sea, the three Graces attending her: There are alfo five Cupids in different Actions.

1. By Lorenzina da Bologna.

In the inner Part of the Clofet, begin on the Left-Hand.

Daphne and Apollo.
4. By Abrabam Jobnfon.

The Flight into Egypt.'

> 5. By Giovanini.

Abraham's Steward putting the Bracelets on Rebecca's Hand at the Well.

> 5. By Pietra Bambini.

Our Saviour and Mary in the Garden. 5. By Gentilefco.

A fleeping Cupid, on an antique African Marble Table.

Eight fmall Buftos, upon gilded MafkTruffes. Begin with that on your Rigbt-Hand of the laft Picture.

Tithonus, Divinity of the Morning.
Venus of Medici.
Bacchus, a very beautiful Work.
Crispina, Wife of Commodus.
Fauna, the Female Divinity of Faunus, is yery rare.

A Pantheon of a peculiar Marble, and in the old Termini Way: It has the Symbols of Ammon, Mavors, and Thoth, three of their Dii Majores; from whom they after made Fupiter, Mars, and Mercury.

Epicurus, valued by Cardinal Mazarine, there being no other of him.

Achilles, adorned at the Breaft, having Rams on his Helmet, a young Face, fmall and very neat Work.

This Room is the Eaft End of Inigo 'Fones's Building, the whole of which is efteemed a very complete Piece of Architecture. From the Windows of thefe Apartments is the following View. The Garden, or rather a beautiful Lawn, planted with various Trees. The River which the late Earl Henry much inlarged. $\mathrm{N}_{2}$

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The Bridge which the faid Earl built from Palladio's Defign. Between fome fine large Cedar Trees, a Fall of Water. The Stable Bridge. A Piazza (the Front of the Stable) by Inigo Fones. A Wood in the Park upon a Hill on which ftands in one Part, a thatch'd Houfe, in another, an equeftrian Statue of Marcus Aurelius upon an Arch, the Profpect on that Side being terminated with the Plain or Downs, on which are the Horle-Races. The Engine Houre with two ornamented Fronts, one Front towards the Houre, the other towards the Park. The Cold Bath, and upon it a complete Caft of the fine Statue of Antinous at Rome. An Arcade, the Front of which was originally the Front of a Grotto, by Inigo Fones. Not only the Spire, but the whole Weft Front of Salijbury Cathedral, Clarendon Park, and Places adjacent.

In the Six Windores of the Geometrical Staira

> (Begin with the Top,) are

Two Bustos,
One reprefenting Torment.
The other Contentment.
An Antique Mafk.

## A Janus.

A Foffil. It is a Snake Stone taken out of a Portland Stone at the Building of Weftminfer Bridge.

At the Bottom of the Geometrical Stair-Cafe.
The Urn of Horace, on one Side of which is this Infcription,

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HOR. FLACC. PIIS MAR: PAMPH. MIN FA FECIT.

Diis Manibus Horatii Flacci, the other Letters to Fecit probably relate to the Perfon who had the Urn made, but they were defaced, and fince mended, as they thought they faw the Traces of former Letters; the other Part is the Apotheofis of a Lyric Poet. There is a Woman in a loofe Garment holding a burning Torch, as one of the Mufes; another holds a Lyre in her Left-Hand, and a Volume in her Right, which he offers to a third Woman with large Wings, reprefenting Fame: Near them ftands a great Altar adorn'd with a Crown; in an obfcure Corner fits a Figure with his Head reclin'd, which fome think may be Momus or Zoilus; they are genteel Figures, and elegantly cloath'd, it is Baffo Relievo.

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## THE

## STONE HALL.

Begin with the Relievo on the Left-Hand.

AN A. Relievo. A Rape of Neptune, twelve Figures befides two Horfes.

An A. Relievo. Six Figures, Nereides, and Tritons, and an Horfe.

An A. Relievo. A Rape of the Centaurs, eight Figures.

A Greek A. Relievo of very curious, fine Work. It is a Female Victoria: She has a wreathed Corona in each Hand, which fhe holds over two Captives bound at her Feet. There are a great many Weapons of War, with Armour and Enfigns, and a particular Trumpet,

An A. Relievo. Two Figures, one reprefenting Painting, the other Sculpture, very fine Drapery.

## In Wilton-House.

An A. Relievo. A Prieftefs bringing a Sheep for Sacrifice. There are two Altars, upon one there is a Fire, upon the other an Idol.

An A. Relievo. Jupiter and Juno; fix other Figures bringing Offerings.

A Relievo. Two Men, one of them ftanding, the other fitting; their Right-Hands join'd together, as bidding an happy Adieu to each other.

A Relievo. A Man and a Woman in the fame Pofture as the two Men, the Woman fitting.

The Statue of Apollo, of the fineft Greek Sculpture: He ftands in a very genteel Pofture, with the Middle of his Bow in his Left-Hand. It was found in the Earth near Ephefus, in which were mix'd fome Minerals, which have given it a Stain that makes it look like old Ivory. His Sandal is a fine Reprefentation of the antient Shape, and Manner of fixing it.

The Statue of Urania the Mufe, with her Symbol cut on the Plinth, with fo reverend an Air of old Age, that Cardinal Mazarine would not fuffer any Part of it to be mended.

A Relievo. A Bull, with his Head adorn'd with a Mitre and Fillets; the Middle of his Belly bound round with a Ribband. He that facrifices is naked, with his Head laureated; he leads the Bull with his Right-Hand: The Popa or Prief follows behind, laureated likewife, and cloathed from the Naval to his Knees; in his Right-Hand is a facrificing Olla or Pot, and in his Left-Hand is the Ax.

A very large A. Relievo, weighing about a Tun and a half, that was a Frieze in a Greek Temple of Diana and Apollo. It reprefents the Story of Niobe and her Children, \&xc. Here are feven Sons and feven Daughters, fuppofed to be hunting in the Heat; and being ill, the Father and Mother, \&cc. come out of the Shade, in which they are, and fave two of them. All the Figures and Trees, efpecially the Horfes on which the Sons ride, are fo high, that the Heads and Necks ftand off without touching the Marble behind. The Foreft Cytbaron in Bceotia, in which they are hunting, is finely reprefented; and at a Diftance, by fome of the Trees, Sylvanus, the Divinity of the Woods, fits looking on with a grave Concern. In this, neither Apollo nor Diana appear, by which probably it was intended to reprefent their Deaths, as proceeding from the Heat of the Sun, the Rays of which are as Apollo's Arrows: He is, indeed, often in $\mathrm{Me}-$ dals fo reprefented, either by the Sun alone, or
with the Rays round his Head. Thus, by the Heat of the Sun, which was Apollo, and from the Fatigue of Hunting, over which Diana prefided, they got fome mortal Fever. An Arrow fticks in one only, as a Symbol, it being infenfible whence it comes. Here are twenty Figures ; Sylvanus and three old Men, (the Father and two Uncles or Tutors) and two old Women, (the Mother and a Nurfe or Aunt) feven Sons, feven Daughters; alfo five Horfes; two of the yeungeft Sons are on Foot, as are the Daughters.

## On the foregoing Relievo are,

The Statue of Caliope, one of the Mures, with a Roll in her Hand: She invented Epic or Heroic Poetry.

The Bufto of Cato Major.
The Statue of Pandora.
A Relievo. Two Priefts, or Minifters of the Prieft, as going before the Victim: One of them is playing upon two Pipes, the other ftands laureated, prepared to do his Office, with an earthen Chalice or Simpulum in his Right-Hand, and a Patera in his Left.

The Statue of Sabina, Wife of Hadrian, fine Drapery.

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A Relievo, Jupiter fits on the RightHand of Juno, on Mount Olympus with a Thunder-bolt in his Right-Hand, and imbracing her with his Left, who embraces him with her Right-Hand, both naked to the Na vel; before them is a Fire blazing upon an Altar, and a Prieft ftanding fhod with a very long. Robe, and Bare-headed, cafting fomething into the Fire.

An A. Relievo, Faunus playing on two Pipes.

A Baffo Kelievo, having an Infcriptio Bouftropha, the Writing in the fucceffive Lines going forward and backward: Firft from left to right, then from right to left, as they turn or guide Oxen in the plowing of Lands. This was efteemed the moft antient Way of Writing, and proves the great Antiquity of this Marble. The Figures prefent a Hiftory agreeable to the Infcription. In the Middle is a Tripos of a very curious and peculiar Form rifing from the three Feet, with three Projections one above another; on the uppermoft of which is the Patera. The Dedicating of a Tripos was an ufual Expreffion of Thanks to the Deity among the Antients; and accordingly this (with the Infcription above) is the Expreffion of the Father's Thanks to Jupiter, who is here reprefented fitting in a Chair, his Head bound with a Diadem and an Eagle not held, but refting on the Palm of his Hand, as ready to go and come
at Command. The other two Figures reprefent a Libation made by the Son, and wafhing: his Hands in a Bowl fet on the Tripos of the common Form. *

The Bufto of Julia Messe, Mother of Heliogabalus.

An A. Relievo, fhewing the antient Manner of Eating; here Fupiter, attended by Pallas, is ferved by Hebe. Mr. Cafteel has graved this in his Book of the Villa's of Pliny, it being much older than any Print that was before made of that Cuftom.

The Bufto of Octavia the Elder.
The Front of Meleager's Tomb cut off from the reft, of fine Greek Marble, with thitteen Figures, befides a $\operatorname{Dog}$ and a Boar's Head; the whole Hiftory is reprefented from the firf Quarrel about the Boar's Head, 'till the Burning of the fatal Brand, and carrying of him away to be entomb'd. That which Montfaucon copy'd from Malfei has three Perfons lefs than this has, and wants the Quarrel at the Beginning with the Boar's-Head.

A fmall Frieze from the Temple of Neptune, four Tritons and four Nereides.
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An A. Relievo. The Story of the Child ftealing the Meat from the Altar thro' the Idol's. Mouth.

An A. Relievo, Venus wringing the Water out of her Hair.

An A. Relievo, Silenus Drunk, the Boys binding his Arms and Legs with Vine-Twifts. Fgle is painting his Face with a Mulberry, fixteen Figures befides an Afs.

Cleopatra, with the Afp in a cover'd Vafe: She is here reprefented, as having it ready, but don't fhew it.

Upon a Grey Granate Table, commonly called Moor Stone, from the Moors in Devonfhire.

A very high A. Relievo of Marcus Aurelius and Faustina, as big as the Life.

A Sarcophagus; in a Round in the Front is the Bufto of a Man; the Phyfiognomy of which is on purpofe left unfinifhed by the Sculptor, It is defcribed by Salvini in Table 9 .

Upon this Tomb is Sesostris; the Head is of Red Egyptian Granite; the Buft Part is of the white Egyptian Granite; the Head is adorned with a Tiara after the Egyptian Form, and has a peculiar Livelinefs; it was found amongtt the Pyramids.
In Wilton-House.


PICTURES, BUSTOS and STATUES IN THE

## Black Marble-Table Room.

Begin with the great Picture on the LeftHand.

ACHILLES dragging Hector's Body round the Walls of Troy. A Skirmifh between the Trojans and the Greeks.
2. By Polidora Caravaggio.

Judith cutting off Hólofernes's Head under a Canopy; his Army has a Multitude of fine Figures. 4. By Bonifazio Bembi.

The Birth of St. John. 4. By Dominico Puligo.

Rome triumphing, many Figures. 4. By Carlo Baldari.

Naked Figures, bathing. 3. By Gelf.

Jephtha's

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Jephtha's rah Vow; feven Figures, three of them are dancing; the foremoft is his Daughter. 3. By Flaminio Tori.

A Triumphal Arch and Figures; the Pigures painted in Buffo Relievo.
3. By Defiderio.

An Angel driving Adam and Eve out of Paradise. 3. By Ifenback.

Hagar with Tears looking back on the Angel pointing, on Copper. 3. By Francisco Buzi.

Hagar, Ishmael and an Angel in the Sky.
3. By Giacomo Carano.

Venus leading Cupid, with the three Graces following, to fee Vulcan, with four others, forging Arrows Heads for Cupid.
4. By Allefandro Turco Veronese.

Four of Diana's Nymphs bathing, Action looking at them. 4. By Sebaftian Concha.

Three of Diana's Nymphs bathing, Acteons looking at them. 5. By Giofep del Sole.

Cupid wrenching his Bow out of the Hands of a Boy.
4. By Tariff da Bologna.

Mr. Pitt, taken from a Print.
Calista bathing is difcover'd to be with Child, and Nymphs appearing to bring her to Diana.

The Judgment of Paris.
5. By Rotenbamer.

Jupiter, Cupid, and Psyche. 3. By Giofeppe Arigoni.

A Salutation of the Angel to the Virgin. 4. By Francijco Dani.

The Affumption of the Virgin ; feveral of the Apoftles looking up, and one of the twelve is haftening down the Hill to the reft.
4. By Rapbael Urbino.

Ganymede upon an Eagle.
4. By Giofeppe Pafari.

The Virgin, with Christ and St. John, as big as the Life, on Wood.
3. By Carletto.

Hercules and Dejanira.
4. By Giovanni Montoand.

A Land.

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A Landfcape with Figures, and Severus's Arch.
4. By Claud Gifolpbi.

Venus and Cupid beating a Satyr.
3. By Luigi Garzi.

A Landfcape with pretty Figures, and Dogs. 4. By Bott.

A Concert of Mufick.

1. By Nicola del Albate.

Two naked Figures, one bathing, the other lying on the Bank of the River.
3. By Cerveli.

Virtue coming to Parnassus to awaken Apollo and the Muses.
3. By Luigi Gentili.

A Magdalen contemplating with a Crucifix; Angels appear above.
4. By Elizabetba Daughter of Sirani.

A Landfcape with Figures fitting by the Water Side. 3. By Orizonte.

Hercules killing the Bull, with Variety of Figures.
4. By Pablo Parólino.

The Baptifm of Christ.

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\text { 4. By Cafalafco. } \\
\text { VIRGIN }
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Virgin looking on Christ with great Affection. 5. By Dominico Becafumi.

Drogenes looking at a Statue with a Candle in his Hand.

- Begin the Statues with that neareft the Door.

Cleopatra, with Cesarion her Son, by Julius Cefar, very naturally fucking on her Lap: Her Seat is an Egyptian Improvement for Softnefs, and fo as to fit higher or lower as they pleafed. The Bottom has a Layer like fhort Bolfters, the next over them crofs the contrary Way, and fo on to the Height which they would fit. Her Pofture is very natural, and her Locks hang gracefully on her Shoulders. Auguftus killed Cafarion by the Advice of Arius the Philofopher from too politic a Reafon, Non effe probandam multitudinem Cia farum.

- A Statue of Shakespear, by Scheemakers, in the fame Manner as in Wefinimfter-Abbey, only the Lines on the Scrole are different, thefe are out of Macbeth.

> Life's but a walking Shadow, a poor Player, Tbat fruts and frets bis Hour upon the Stage, And then is beard no more.

## The Statue of Manilia Scantilla, Wife of Didius.

Upon a Table ftain'd with Figures and Landfcapes, the Statue of Venus afleep. It is about the Bignefs of the Hermaphrodite at Rome. It is a fine Greek Sculpture, and appears much older than that, as is obferved in the Cardinal's Catalogue.

The Buftos begin with that on the Left of Cleopatra and Cafarion.

Lysias, Themistocles, Terentius, Posidonius.

A black Marble Table, II Feet 9 Inches Long, and 4 Feet 2 Inches wide.

IN THE

## MANAGE ROOM.

 Over the Chimney.A BIFR ONS of CECRops and his riage. Leaves of Sea Weed on his Beard, in Memory of his coming by Sea from Egypt.
In Wilton-House,

A Picture of Baron De Eisenberg, Riding Matter to Francis I. Emperor of Germany,

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IN THE

## BU GL R O OM. On the Railing.

MHE Buftos of Lucius Vitellius Peter, and Galba.
In two Niche's,

The Buttes of Olympias and Collat TITUS.

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## ERRATA:

Page 7. Line laft, for Squazzelia, read Squazzeli.
12. Line 5, for Saband Marco Ricci, read Sabat. and Marco Ricci.
15. Line 21, for Waterloe, read And. del Sarto.
16. Line 10 , for Talbo, read Jalbo.
49. Line 21, for Hercules, read Heraclitus.
71. Line 3, for Itatian, read Italian.

Line 4, for Commeffr, read Commefie.
79. After the Landfcape by Claude Lorrain, read, A dead Saviour furrounded with Angels, a very fine Sketch. 5. By Bonamico Bufalmaco.
9. For Eadalacbi, read Badalocbi.
12. Begin the Pictures over the Chimney.
14. For Venturg Salembini, read Ventura Salemberri.

Do. For Verdi, read Verd.
22. For An A. Relievo, read A B. Relievo.
40. For Antoninus, read Antonius.
44. Begin the Pictures with the Uppermoft on the left Hand,
52. For Inga, read Triga.
yor. For Carlo Baldari, read Carlo Caldari,




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